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SUBJ: ROKG LEGAL MEMORANDUM ON NORTHWEST COASTAL INCIDENTS

REF: STATE 249865

1. AFTER RECEIPT REFTEL, POL COUNSELOR MET WITH MOFA AMERICAN BUREAU DIRECTOR, KIM DONG WHIE ON DEC 23. AT THAT TIME, MADE POINTS CONTAINED REFTEL AND PRESENTED DEPARTMENT'S REVISIONS (PARA 5-10).

2. ON DEC 24 POL COUNSELOR AGAIN MET WITH KIM TO DISCUSS MOFA LEGAL MEMO AND OUR REVISIONS. KIM SAID THE MATTER IS NOW BEFORE HIS SUPERIORS. WHILE NOT HAPPY WITH USG POSITION, KIM SAID HE HAD PERSONALLY RECOMMENDED ACCEPTANCE OF OUR REVISIONS. KIM SAID THAT HIS ARGUMENT BASED ON NECESSITY OF MAINTAINING "COMMON PUBLIC FRONT" WITH USG. KIM EXPECTED EARLY DECISION, PROBABLY IN THE COURSE OF THE DAY OF THE 24TH, AND PROMISED TO INFORM US WHEN IT IS REACHED. UNDERHILL

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